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information, some input into you people here from people in your community, from others that would know. We can re-examine it next year. As you know, the bill has been changed considerably here just in the last couple weeks. I don't think the bracketing would be an improper act.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, of course I'm going to oppose it, as I told Senator DeCamp I was going to oppose the bracketing of the bill. There are several things I'd like to say about it. I realize that it's not a good idea to take a long time to talk about it. Senator DeCamp said that, you know, society in the Legislature brings a lot of these things into play. I think you should realize that the Legislature is the one that is responsible for the people that we are trying to help with this bill. Now if the T.V. cameras want to take a picture of somebody that has been trying to bug this bill, all they have to do is pan around and get upstairs in the lobby . . .

PRESIDENT: Excuse me. All Senators are to be in their chairs.

SENATOR BARNETT: Look at the liquor lobby that is peacocking over there and hoping that they've got the bill killed. I said this long time ago that the liquor lobby would work hard against this bill. There's no doubt they are doing it because I can't see what else you'd be voting against the bill for. I'll tell you this much, the bill in here sets up exactly what 302, LB 302, suggested we do across the State of Nebraska, set up de-tox centers. It also took and minimized the decriminilazation so that we could satisfy some of the law enforcement. Then it added the tax, yes a penny on a gallon. Can you imagine, the same people that were going to help with this bill, the bartenders, the liquor establishment owners. I don't know if Senator DeCamp is or not, that might have something to do with it. I don't know whether he owns any establishments or not. They could even shorten some of the glasses of these people we're going to pick up and help. Take care of that penny that they're worried about on a gallon of beer. This mornings paper the editorial carried a real good editorial, as far as I was concerned. One line in there said we thought it had been agreed upon that jails don't work so far as curing a disease. The bill, as now written, is less than half loaf. We have given in for three or four years. I'm sorry that Senator DeCamp didn't stick with me this year. He wants to say that he hasn't had, and he's worked real hard on liquor bills and detoxification and everything. Seems like every bill I've had this year he's had it somewhere before. He's tried to get on about 4 or 5 of them. He's worked against them now when somebody else carries them and the same thing we got going here. I would hope that this body would see fit not to bracket the bill, but to pass it. To have the guts to say, OK we've got a start. That's all this bill is. It's just a start. It's not any great big deal that some people are trying to make it out. I'd like to see you turn the liquor lobbys down and say, no we're going to pass it irregardless of your action. I'd oppose the bracket motion.